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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 11th Saturday in 1911 (18th March 1911).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911: This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7			
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.		Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	... 17	... ...	1 8	... ...	... ...				
	„ City & Taluk	... 21	... 4	1 87	1 07	+ 0 80				
	Hoskote	... ...	... 1	... 36	... 42	— 0 06				
	Dodballapur	... ...	... ...	... 06	... 88	— 0 82	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·13
	Nelamangala	... ...	... 1	... ...	... 43	— 0 43				
	Kankanhalli	... ...	... 18	1 34	... 41	+ 0 93	Ragi	16·50	16·50	15·31
	Magadi	... 55	... 12	... 55	... 65	— 0 10	Kulthi	14·00	15·00	...
	Channapatna	... ...	... 15	... ...	... 44	— 0 44	Kadale	10·75	10·75	8·79
	Anekal	... ...	... 15	... 50	... 66	— 0 16				
	Devanhalli	... 17	... 5	... 58	... 99	— 0 41				
	Closepet	... ...	... ...	1 25	... 34	+ 0 91				
	District average...	... 09	... 7	... 65	... 63	+ 0 02				
KOLAR.	Kolar	... ...	... 4	... 5	... 34	— 0 29				
	Bowringpet	... ...	... 5	... 73	... 29	+ 0 44				
	Chintamani	... ...	... 3	... 35	... 46	— 0 11				
	Mulbagal	... ...	... 5	... ...	... 69	— 0 69	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	10·00	7·65
	Sidlaghatta	... 15	... 4	... 15	... 39	— 0 24				
	Chikballapur	... ...	... 6	... ...	... 59	— 0 59	Ragi	17·00	17·00	14·93
	Bagepalli	... 29	... ...	... 29	... 28	+ 0 01	Kulthi	14·00	16·00	...
	Goribidnur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 19	— 0 19	Kadale	10·00	9·00	8·23
	Malur	... ...	... 7	... ...	... 33	— 0 33				
	Srinivaspur	... ...	... ...	... 63	... 51	+ 0 12				
	Gudibanda	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 26	— 0 26				
	District average...	... 4	... 3	... 20	... 39	— 0 19				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	... ...	... ...	... ...	1 02	— 1 02				
	Maddagiri	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 47	— 0 47				
	Chiknayakanhalli	... ...	... 3	... ...	... 46	— 0 46				
	Sira	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 41	— 0 41	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	8·09
	Gubbi	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 61	— 0 61				
	Tiptur	... ...	... 2	... ...	... 24	— 0 24	Ragi	21·00	20·00	17·10
	Pavagada	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 26	— 0 26	Kulthi	18·00	18·00	...
	Kunigal	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 38	— 0 38	Kadale	9·50	9·50	7·96
	Koratagere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 67	— 0 67				
	Turuvekere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 42	— 0 42				
	District average ...	... ...	... 1	... ...	... 50	— 0 50				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
MYSORE.														
Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	41	+ 0	59				
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	8	1	2	...	51	+ 0	51		Seers	Seers	Seers
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	52	+ 0	58	Rice, 2nd	9·00	9·00	8·80
Hunsur ...	...	64	...	1	...	64	...	37	+ 0	27	sort.			
Yedatore ...	...	26	...	...	...	56	...	40	+ 0	16	Ragi	18·00	16·00	15·58
Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	85	— 0	85	Kulthi	15·00	16·00	...
Gundlupet ...	2	35	...	27	2	65	...	81	+ 1	84	Kadale	11·00	10·50	8·83
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	....	...	70	...	45	+ 0	25				
T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	74	— 0	74				
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	11	...	43	...	55	— 0	12				
Mandya ...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	59	— 0	59				
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	— 0	37				
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	— 0	65				
District average...	...	25	...	4	...	62	...	55	+ 0	07				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	27	— 0	15				
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	...	3	...	12	...	51	— 0	39	Rice, 2nd	11·00	11·00	9·37
Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	— 0	38	sort.			
Belur ...	...	...	...	2	...	7	...	34	— 0	27	Ragi	24·00	24·00	17·17
Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	— 0	21	Kulthi	18·00	17·00	...
Arsikere ...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	29	— 0	29	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·71
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	51	— 0	51				
Alur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	— 0	38				
District average...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	36	— 0	32				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	21	— 0	21				
Channagiri ...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	22	— 0	22	Rice, 2nd	11·00	11·00	10·11
Honnali ...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	51	— 0	51	sort.			
Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rāgi	24·00	26·00	19·40
Sorab ...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	08	— 0	08	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Sagar ...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	31	— 0	31				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	— 0	12				
Tirthahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	13	+ 0	02				
Kumsi ...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	10	— 0	10				
District average...	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	19	— 0	17				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	70	— 0	70				
Kadur ...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	49	— 0	49	Rice, 2nd	14·00	14·00	9·90
Tarikere ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	10	— 0	10	sort.			
Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	— 0	76	Ragi	20·00	22·00	17·52
Mudgere ...	...	...	...	6	...	35	...	14	+ 0	21	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	18	— 0	18	Kadale	10·00	10·00	8·95
Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	— 0	20				
District average...	...	...	...	6	...	05	...	36	— 0	31				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	1	...	14	...	32	— 0	18				
Challakere ...	...	14	...	5	...	...	...	57	— 0	57	Rice, 2nd	9·00	9·50	8·02
Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	— 0	28	sort.			
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	51	— 0	51	Ragi	24·00	25·00	17·47
Davangere ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	36	— 0	36	Kulthi	18·00	20·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	36	— 0	36	Cholum	24·00	25·00	17·27
Jagalur ...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	31	— 0	31	Kadale	9·00	10·00	7·93
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	29	— 0	29				
Harihar ...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	38	— 0	38				
District average...	...	2	...	3	...	2	...	38	— 0	36				
Provincial average...	...	05	...	04	...	20	...	42	— 0	22				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(horse gram Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·40	17·53	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi and paddy, yield 12 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are in good condition, but "foot and mouth" disease is prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Milling of sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and reaping of paddy in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, are going on.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and potatoes in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks, yield 8 annas, 10 annas and from 4 to 10 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks, except parts of Bangalore where "jarasal roga" and "foot and mouth" diseases are said to be prevailing. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for paddy cultivation in the Goribidnur Taluk. Sowing in the Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, harvesting in the Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and weeding in the Chintamani Taluk are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in all the taluks, except Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Sugar cane in all the taluks, except the Kolar Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar Gold Fields, in the towns of Kolar, Mulbagal and Chikballapur and in some villages of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Excepting parts of Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur and the Kasaba Hobli of the Mulbagal Taluk, cattle are healthy in other parts of the district. Water and fodder are available.